LOCAL MENTION. AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Academy-"The Irish Alderman." Columbia-James Young in "Lord Byron," Kernan's Lyceum-Indian Maidens. Lafayette-"Three Little Lambs."

New Grand-Fulgora's Vaudeville Com-National Theater-Glee concert and dra-matic entertainment.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Steamer Chas. Macalester for Mt. Ver-non at 10 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. Steamer Newport News for Fortress Mon-roe and Norfolk at 6:30 p.m. Steamer Estelle Randall for Glymont and

Steamer Estelle Rangall for Grynnic and Intermediate points at 9:30 a.m.

Steamer Harry Randall for Chapel Point, Nomini and river landings at 7 a.m.

Steamer Potomac for Baltimore and lower river landings at 4 p.m.

Steamers Columbia and Belle Haven for Alexandria every hour.

Alexandria every hour.

Trains leave 13½ street and Pennsylvania avenue for Arlington. For Mount Vernon hourly from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Mkt. Corned Beef a specialty.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

Regular Monthly Dinner.

The regular monthly dinner of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity took place at the Ebbitt last evening. The tables were handsomely decorated with flowers and the enthusiastic Dekes assembled enjoyed a folly time. Bright responses to toasts were had over the cigars, President M. C. Butler of the Alumni Association presiding. Those sell, D. S. Alexander, Dr. F. J. Woodman. Dr. W. H. Hawkes, Dr. A. B. Coolidge, Dr. Dr. W. H. Hawkes, Dr. A. B. Coolings, Dr. C. F. Langworthy, Dr. S. Y. Baker, Will-lam Twombly, G. R. Wales, L. B. Howry, W. W. Rich, M. Y. Chung, L. D. Wright, R. M. Moorman, W. R. Maxon, J. E. Free-man, T. C. Clendenning and E. L. Nye, Latters of regrees were read from the following. Letters of regret were read from the fol lowing members of the fraternity: C. A. Prouty, John D. Long, Henry Cabot Lodge, R. W. Tayler, C. F. Joy, Prof. Wm. Harkness, W. J. Boardman, Dr. A. G. Wilkinson, Prof. N. P. Gage, Rev. R. P. Williams, E. J. McClelland, C. L. Du Bois, R. A. Morrison, D. R. F. Mason, F. A. Sebring, W. J. Wallis and W. S. Broughton.

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Sunday School Entertainment.

Congress Height: M. E. Sunday school gave an Easter entertainment Sunday evening. Each s-lection was on the subject of the day. Every exercise was worthy of mention, a song by the Haar sisters, "The Whole Wide World for Jesus," being especially well rendered, as was the closing theme was "Who Should Give, and Ho

The church was decorated with holly The church was decorated with holly, laurel and pine and the altar rail was made very attractive by an array of potted plants. The entertainment was under the direction of the Missionary Society of the Sunday school. The secretary, Miss Mamie Dean, called the classes by name for their offerings, resulting in a total contribution of \$3.25. The Little Gleaners won the banner for largest contribution. The results were read by Miss Sallie Tucker, the treasurer.

Mrs. Godwin-DeCastro's Effects at

Auetion.

Catalogue is now being prepared of the personal effects of Mrs. Godwin-DeCastro, including very rare and desirable antique mahogany, fine marqueterie, English oak, Louis XVI and other furniture; also fine china, plate, pictures, hangings, etc. Exhibition opens at Sloan's, 1407 G st., next Monday.—Advt.

Constitutional Chapter, D. A. R.

The regular monthly meeting of Constitution Chapter, D. A. R., was held at the home of the regent, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, at the Portner, last evening. As a departure the Portner, last evening. As a departure from the study of the Constitution of the United States, which has been the program of the meetings, readings were given by Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Plerce, giving accounts of family history of their ancestors. Mrs. W. H. Foster, a member of the Genesco Chapter, Genesco, Ill., was present as a guest of honor. Mrs. Foster gave an account of the work of that chapter. Refreshments were served.

About Your Furniture. If you have furniture to sell (or store) send it to C. G. Sloan & Co., 1407 G st. They sell anything. Sale every Saturday at 10 a.m. You get the best prices here. Phone 1408.—Advt.

Under Arrest.

William Beale, colored, who is alleged to have fractured Peter Miller's skull yesterday with a crowbar, while the men were at work on the Washington and Great at work on the Washington and Great Falls railway, as published in yesterday's Star, was arrested early last evening by Policeman Anderson of the fifth precinct. An operation was performed on Miller's skull yesterday afternoon by Drs. Vaughn and McNamee. The operation was successful and the patient, it is believed, will recover, although his condition is serious. Owing to the condition of the victim the case could not be heard in court this morning. Beale will be given a hearing as soon as Miller is able to appear as a witness.

Divorces Granted.

In the divorce suit entered by Archibald Grant Murray against Emma Jane Mur ray, Justice Barnard yesterday granted a decree to the latter, who was complainant in a cross-bill. Mrs. Murray is also awarded the custody of her children. Justice Barnard also granted divorces to Carrie Thornton from John C. Thornton, with the right to resume her maiden name of Jones, and to Annie Rabbitt from Albert S. Rab-bitt, with the right to resume her maiden name of Ashton.

Building Trades Council.

A brief meeting of the Building Trades Council was held last evening in Costello's Hall, Mr. James McIves presiding. Painters' Assembly No. 1748 and Carpenters' Assembly No. 1798, affiliated with the Knights of Labor, were admitted to membership in the council. Col. Robert I. Fleming was indorsed for District Commissioner. WITH MILITARY HONORS

McLAUGHLIN.

Died in Cuba, a Victim of Yellov Fever-His Service to His

McLaughlin of the United States Volunteer Corps, who died at Santiago de Cuba July 6, 1800, of yellow fever, will be interred at Arlington cemetery this afternoon. Rev. Dr. S. H. Greene of the Cal-vary Baptist Church will officiate and the troops from Fort Myer will pay the last military honors to the heroic soldier.

Lieut. McLaughlin was fifty years old at the time of his death and had lived for many years in this city. He was in the regular army for nearly half his life, entering as a private and being promoted to the rank of a sergeant. He became an employe of the weather bureau when that office was transferred to the Agricultural Department, and was at one time chief clerk of that bureau. He was appointed a second lieutenant in the United States Vol unteer Signal Corps May 20, 1898, and held that rank at the time of his death.

An Important Service.

Lieut, McLaughlin gained wide fame for his participation in one of the most historic crises of the Spanish-American war. He was on duty in Porto Rico during the campaign there and bore the message from Gen. Miles to Gen. Brooke ordering a ces-

Gen. Miles to Gen. Brooke ordering a cessation of hostilities just as the American troops, under Gen. Brooke, were about to attack a heavy body of Spaniards.

At 6 a.m. August 13, 1898, the Americans, composed mostly of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois militia, with the 6th Regular Cavalry, left Guayama to attack San Juan. Gen. Hains, with the 4th Ohio, flanked the Spanish left and the cavalry their right. Gen. Brooke, riding at the head of his troops, scanned with his glasses the enemy's position, which occupied the top of a hill commanding the road along which the Americans were advancing. The American forces formed for attack, the batteries swinging their guns into place and getting the range, and a desperate engagement was interior, and a desperate engagement was interior, and a desperate engagement was interior. he range, and a desperate engagement was mminent, when suddenly an officer, lash ing a foaming horse, followed by an orderly on a mule, rode up to Gen. Brooke. "An important message, str." he said, saluting. It was Lieut McLaughlin, and this was the

It was Lieut McLaughlin, and this was the message:

"PORT PONCE. August 13, 1898.

"Maj. Gen. Brooke: By direction of the President operations against the enemy are suspended. Negotiations are near completion, the protocol having been signed by representatives of the two countries. All commanders will be governed accordingly.

"By command of Maj. Gen. Miles.

"GILMORE (signed),
"M. V. SHERIDAN,
"Chief of Staff."

"Note: McLaughlin has sent a message to Gen. Sheridan stating that he (McL.) has sent a message to Gen. Brooke."

Close Call.

When Gen. Brooke received this message scrawled in pencil on a cheap pad leaf he ordered a return to Guayama. "Three min-utes more," he remarked, "and we would have fired."

ave hred. Lieut. McLaughlin's health broke down Lieut. McLaughiln's health broke down in Porto Rico, and in April, 1899, he was relieved of his command and returned to Washington. At urgent request he re-enlisted and departed for Santiago June 3, 1809, to resume his duties in the field. He was stricken with yellow fever almost immediately two his arrival there. almost immediately upon his arrival there and died, as stated. His body was brought

and died, as stated. His body was brought to this country about a month ago.

Lieut. McLaughlin was born in Tyne, England, in 1849. He became a resident of Denver in 1803, where he was stationed as a sergeant in the Signal Corps. He is survived by a widow and two sons, Alexis, aged twenty-three, and Lester, aged twenty-one. He was a Mason and a member of Hiram Royal Arch Chapter, No. 10, of this city. He was possessed of an attractive city. He was possessed of an attractive personality and a genial disposition, and was popular among his friends and highly esteemed in the service for his manly qual-ities and high regard for duty.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE GRAND OPERA SEASON .- The Company in Washington will begin tomor-row evening at the National Theater with a magnificent presentation of Verdi's masterpiece, "Aida." Already a special car load of scenery and properties for this opera has arrived here from New York, together with the head carpenters of the Metropolitan, so heavy and cumbersome is the production of the work, requiring several days' preparation, the double stage in the last act alone being one of the most tremendous affairs ever seen on the mod-ern stage. With its beautiful Egyptian costuming, the oriental color which abounds throughout the opera, its beautiful ballet, grand processions and many other stage accessories, the picture that will be shown tomorrow evening is bound to be a most fascinating one, and the house should be crowded for this performance, certainly a great novelty here, as well as for "Don Giovanni" on Friday evening, as that opera receives its first Washington rendition on that occasion. "Carmen" at the Saturday matinee and "Faust" in the evening com-plete a repertoire for the Washington sea-son that is certainly full of promise and interest to all music lovers. remendous affairs ever seen on the mod-

VIOLA ALLEN IN "THE CHRISTIAN."

—Few other attractions visiting this city are better remembered than Viola Allen in her portrayal of Glory Quayle in "The Christian," and her second stellar appearance in this city next week at the National Theater, commencing Monday evening, April 23, should make a gala event of the week at the neonlar play house. Miss Alweek at the popular play house. Miss Al-len's engagement is for a week, and she plays the regular matinees Wednesday and Saturday. It will be remembered that last year Miss Allen played to one of the most ccessful week's engagements of the seasuccessful week's engagements of the sea-son. From all advance prospects it seems evident that the record of last season will be surpassed, as there has been a great de-mand in advance for places. Miss Allen comes supported, it is said, by even a stronger organization in general ensemble stronger organization in general ensemble than was seen with her last year. The role of John Storm is in the hands of Robert Drouet, who has won great recognition for his manly and conscientious portrayal of the part. The company includes Robert Drouet, C. Leslie Allen, Edgar L. Davenport, Harold Russell, Frank C. Bangs, Oscar Eagle, Charles Mason, Edgar Norton, Guy Nichols, Charles Rowan, Mrs. Georgia Dickson, Helen Lowell, Evangeline Irving, Jessie Bradford, Carrie Meerillees, Perdita Hudspeth and others. The matinee performances open promptly at 2 o'clock and the evening performances at 8 sharp.

"A LIVELY LEGACY."—The Haulon Brothers' new production, "A Lively Legacy," will be presented at the Columbia next week. It is a radical departure from the Haulon Brothers' spectacular pieces, "Superba" and "Fantasma," and is on the order of "La Voyage en Sulsse," which they exploited successfully about fifteen years ago. The scenes of the piece are laid in Florida, and this location affords excellent opportunity for the exhibition of handsome scenery. The first act shows a villa on the shores of the Atlantic ocean; the second, the everglades of Florida, and the third and last the drawing room of a wealthy eleclast the drawing room of a wealthy elec-trician. The piece is full of most amusing complications. It has been in active rehear-sal for many weeks in New York, under the direction of Julian Mitchell and the Messrs. direction of Julian Mitchell and the Messrs. Hanlon. The cast has been specially selected, and includes Laura Joyce Bell, Elsie Esmond, Edna Brothers, Lotta Linthicum, May Vokes, James Banckson, Stephen Maley, William Blaisdell, Thomas Magrane, Oscar Figman, Charles Sturges, Charles B. Hawkins, Walter Fernald, Albert Maher and Taylor Granville.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Hoyt's "A Temperance Town," with George Richards and Eugene Canfield as stars, will be presented at the Academy of Music next Monday night. This brilliant satirical comedy is one of the best of the long line of Hoyt's plays known the country over. The humorous side of its situations is always prominent, which fact is responsible largely for the continued favor at the hands of the theater-goers of the country. The company in support of these popular comedians is one of unusual merit.

NEW GRAND OPERA HOUSE.-The

since then have proved one of the genuinely successful noveities among "head-liners." Hugh Stanton and his company will be seen in their new satire, "A Wife by Advertisement." Third on the list but first in the affections of Washington is Maude Courtney, whose charming singing of "ye olde" songs has again and again pleased New Grand patrons. The others are Charile Case, the monologist; Frank Jones and Lillian Walton, with their rural comedy, "Our Country Cousins:" Herbert's troupe of canine wonders; Dorothy Drew, the singing and dancing comedienne, and the Musical Tobins. The bill has the merit of diversity, as well as the assurance of individual excellence in many of its features. The prospects are that it will stand high in the list of programs which Manager Chase has prepared for his patrons.

BIJOU THEATER.—The "Tuxedo Club"

BIJOU THEATER.-The "Tuxedo Club" will be the Bijou's offering for next week. This is a new burlesque company, organized expressly for Manhattan Beach and other seaside resorts for the summer season, and will have its first appearance at the Bijou. There will be eight vaudeville acts.

FOR LONGFELLOW'S STATUE. - The concert and recital to be given at the Ar-lington Hotel, under the auspices of the Longfellow Memorial Association, which has been postponed from tomorrow until Friday night, promises to be an extremely interesting affair. People prominent in the social world have taken the matter up not social world have taken the matter up not only on account of the object, which is to erect a statue to one of the purest poets this country has produced, but also because of the artists who will participate in the program. These are Miss Jean Wilson, who is a recitationist of marked ability and great personal magnetism and who has just returned from a remarkably successful trip to the Pacific coast; Miss Marie Paige, a violinist of high reputation, who has played with distinction with Theodore Thomas' orchestra, and who is a pupil of the famous Joachim, and Mrs. Sheldon, a vocalist of international reputation. The interest excited in this entertainment will undoubtedly fill the large banquet room in which it will be held.

WAR SONGS OF ALL NATIONS.—The lecture next Sunday night at the Columbia Theater by Mr. Willis Arden promises to be a very enjoyable as well as an instructive occasion. The District of Columbia National Guard has charge of the arrangements, and music will be furnished during the evening by the National Guard Brigade Band. The program is very extensive, and includes a well-trained chorus and a competitive drill, in which three prominent National Guard officers will officiate as judges. The program will illustrate the routine The program will reveille in the morning, and concluding with the sunset gun and retreat in the evening. The lecture by Mr. Arden on national war songs is the main attraction during the evening and promises to be very

FOREPAUGH AND SELLS BROS.'
CIRCUS.—The advertisements of the great
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shows call special attention to their funmaking contingent of twenty-five clowns,
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and laughable feature, and the resulting
success has encouraged it to still bigger and
better effort in that direction. Mr. James
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have made the lobsters laugh in transit, and
our own side of the water furnishes a band
of button-bursters at which even the editor
of a comic weekly would be forced to smile.
This motley gathering made New York city
hilarlously howl over its "Soo-see Band." This motley gathering made New York city hilariously howl over its "Soo-see Band." Its champion exhibition games of base ball, foot ball and golf; its puglistic matches; its races, rivalries and hits and skits at the follies of the day. In fact, these twenty-five merry gentlemen appear to be much more than clowns in the ordinary acceptance of the term. They are artists, high-class comedians, impersonators, mimics, musicians, acrobats and pantomimists, and they are full of originality and vim. Associated with them are droves, schools, cavalclated with them are droves, schools, cavalflippers, and in fur, hair and bristles-fun enough to fill all hearts with glee, and of the right kind to please all clas

A SONG RECITAL.-Miss Gertrude Harrison will give a song recital at the Wash-ington Club tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o clock. Miss Harrison has made quite a o crock. Miss flarrison has made quice a reputation as a singer of ballads during the past winter, and she will present a program that cannot fail to please. She will be as-sisted by Miss Jessie Vivien Kerr, planist.

concert to be given in America by the great Polish pianist, Paderewski, will be given in this city at the Columbia Friday afternoon, May 4. No pianist that has ever toured this country has met with such flattering reception, and since his appearance here in Decountry has met with such flattering recep-tion, and since his appearance here in De-cember he has made a tour covering the en-tire country, and is now on his way back from the Pacific coast, where he played four concerts in San Francisco to the largest re-celpts ever known by a single artist. The program will be announced later, as it is to be an entire change from the last one.

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DR. STAFFORD'S LECTURE.—The lecture last evening, at the National Theater, on "Hamlet," by the Rev. Dr. D. J. Stafford, was attended by a large and appreciative audience. The recitation of many passages in a dramatic manner, and from which he drew excellent lessons in morals, was followed closely and enthusiastically received. In most of the other plays, the speaker said, Shakespeare had dealt with persons and events, whereas in "Hamlet" great principles of life had been most beautifully portrayed. "Hamlet," he said, was continually reaching out for ideals, and to the fact of his not being able to realize any of these was probably due his melancholy, and particularly was his treatment of Ophelia due to his shattered ideals of womanhood. A life beyond the grave was clearly the belief of Shakespeare, and the continual reaching up after something higher demonstrated that the longings of the soul are not satisfied in life on this earth.

PLANNING FOR THEIR TRIP.

Knights of Pythias Getting Ready for

The armory of Washington Company, No. 1, Knights of Pythias, had the appearance of a recruiting station last night. The members of the Pythian order who are going to Baltimore Friday next were out in ferce, and Capt. J. M. Williams was putting his squad through a series of drills and evolutions. The master of work, L. H. Troutman, explained his plans in detail and announced that the final rehearsal would take place next Thursday evening.

The grand chancellor, Gco. W. Baumann, was present and announced that satisfacwas present and announced that satisfactory arrangements had been made with the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and that special cars would leave this city at 6:20 p.m., returning at such time as would suit the majority of the sojourners. Chancellor Commander W. W. Duffield announced that he had the tickets in his possession and that the members of the order could procure them of him.

The members of the team, as given in The Star of yesterday, were present with but few exceptions, and after the adjournment the evening was devoted to a general dis-

the evening was devoted to a general dis-cussion relative to the trip. The knights of the mother domain are highly elated over the idea that they are able to send to other places a fully equiped team qualified to ex-emplify the initiational ceremonics.

Nine Months for Theft.

A colored boy named Leina Pryor was in Judge Kimball's court today charged with the theft of a bicycle and a lantern. It was after dark and Pryor wanted to take a ride on a bicycle. He selected one lantern of his own, he took one from an excavation on the public streets. "Were you ever arrested before for steal-

"Were you ever arrested before for stealing?" Judge Kimball asked him.
"I was accused of stealing some wheels once," he answered, "but they didn't prove it on me."
"They have proved this on you," the judge told him.
"I know they have," said the boy. "I know I took these things."
He said he came here some time ago from Danville, Va., and the court suggested that he return home when he gets out of prison. He was given nine months in fail.

Favor Scott and Ross. About one hundred members of the W.

Calvin Chase Escort Club met last evening in the Cycle Club, 513 and 515 2d street northwest, and accepted the bid of a local firm to furnish the uniforms for the club to eight-act bill at the New Grand next week is headed by Midgely and Carlisle, who jumped into New York prominence in the comic opera "Little Red Riding Hood," and Mr. John W. Ross to succeed himself.

GIVEN CHANCE TO SOBER UP

DEFENDANT SENT TO WORKHOUSE FOR THIRTY DAYS.

Ella Dorsey Indulges in Profanc Las guage-Several Alleged Vagrants Arraigned in Court.

"Night before last I arrested this man for being drunk," said Policeman Dunn to Judge Scott this morning, when James M. Manuel appeared to answer a charge of habitual drunkenness. "The next morn-ing," added the officer, "he was released about 7 o'clock, and an hour later he was drunk again "

The prisoner's face was badly scarred and his condition was extremely nervous.
"I've been drinking," he admitted, "but

"Were you ever in court before?" Mr

I'm certainly not a vagrant."

Pugh inquired. "I was here a few weeks ago," answered the prisoner. A medical friend of Manuel's appeared in A flectical friend of Manuel's appeared in court in his behalf.

"Manuel," he said, "worked for one firm for seventeen years, and we lived in the same house a long time. Although we sat at the dining table together, I did not know until a short time age that he aren took. until a short time ago that he even took a drink. If he is to be sent down I think he

should be given medical treatment." "He will get proper treatment," the court told the witness. "Ten dollars or thirty Cursed a Chinaman.

"It's evidently known that I wasn't swearing, because I had no occasion to de it," Ella Dorsey, colored, said when asked "Are you guilty or not guilty?"

"Ella was in a Chinese laundry last night cursing the Chinaman," said Police man Robey. "She was talking so loud that people on the street could hear her." "I had to talk loud," said the woman, "to make the Chinaman understand me."

Two witnesses testified to having heard the bad language, and Ella's fine was \$5. She was given two weeks in default.

"Guilty" was the plea of John C. McCoy,

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"Guilty" was the plea of John C. McCoy, who was arraigned as a vagrant. "I have nothing to say."

"He's been on a drunk," said Policeman Russell, "and he asks that he be sent down for three months, in order that he may get the whisky out of him and straighten out."

"Thirty dollars or ninety days," said the judge.

Bessie Keys and Mamie Green, colored, were tried as vagrants, because they live in a disreputable house.

"They were arrested," explained a policeman, "because of their conduct about the 'Division.' Instead of remaining in the house where they live they have been in the habit of standing in the doorway attred in their house costumes."

"Where I came from," said Bessie, "anybody can stand at their front doors without getting arrested."

"Where are you from?" the women was

out getting arrested."
"Where are you from?" the woman was

asked.
"Staunton, Va."
They were fined \$10, with thirty days on the farm as the equivalent.

Boy's Sad Experience. A white boy named George Brown ap-peared in the toils with two colored girls whose names were given as Dora Gaskins and Mabel Smith. Brown is employed as a waiter in a lunch room. He related his experience and pleaded for forgiveness. experience and pleaded for forgiveness.

"In order to make you fully understand the case," he said to the judge, "I'll have to admit that I had been drinking. These girls took me to a house and got my money. When they went out on the street I followed them and called 'murder' to attract a policeman."

"And he also used bad language," Policeman Berman told the court.

The girls claimed that the boy spoke to them first. They denied that they took him to a house, and also denied that they took him to a house, and also denied that they took his money.

took his money.

The affair happened near the Police Court The amair happened near the Police Court late last night. The penalty imposed upon each defendant was \$10 or thirty days. "I'm from Dinwiddle county, Va.," said James McLure, "but my home is in Kentuck."

He said he had come here to spend the Easter holiday, and last night he took a few drinks.
"I warned him about a violation of law."
Policeman Nussbaum said, "and he abused

"I thought he was a citizen who was only fooling with me," said the Kentuckian.

His excuse was not accepted, and he was fined \$5.

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Vehicle Almost Demolished.

While Messrs, David and Thomas Gillin, residents of Congress Heights, were at the Congressional cemetery yesterday evening the horse attached to their carriage took fright, broke loose from where it was tied and ran away. Before the animal was caught the conveyance was broken in a number of places, making it almost a total wreck. The gentlemen were able to return in it, however.

Gymnasium Class Organised. The young men of Congress Heights have organized a class for practice in the gymnasium which has been opened in the former Congress Heights school building by the Citizens' Association of the place. The class numbers about twenty, and is under the direction of Mr. Thomas Gillin. An exlibition of work by the class was give

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